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Attempt to Arbitrate Strike of Telegraphers Fails.

ORDER IS WITHOUT EFFECT

Call for a General Strike of the Commercial Telegraphers Meets With Little Response on the Part of the Operators Still at Work.

Chicago, Aug. 17.—No progress was made Friday by certain labor leaders who intervened to bring about a settlement of the telegraphers' strike by arbitration. President Small of the telegraphers' organization met Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor and Labor Commissioner Neill but said that it was only in a social way and that it was too early in the fight to talk of arbitration.

Despite the general strike order sent out early Friday both telegraph companies by actual test were able to handle business with greater promptness than at any time heretofore since the inauguration of the strike. Small towns in various parts of the Middle West and Far West were heard from Friday night in regular order for the first time.

The officials of both companies declared that instead of desertions in response to the strike order the reverse was the true state of affairs, as many recruits had been added to the working forces of both companies during the past twenty-four hours.

On the other hand, the union officials declare that there was an enthusiastic response to the strike order.

WITHOUT EFFECT.

Order of President Small for a General Strike.

New York, Aug. 17.—Interest in the telegraph strike centered in the probable effect of the general strike order issued by President Small of the national union and which called upon all operators employed by the commercial telegraph companies and those working private and leased wires not under union contracts to go out. Throughout the East there were few if any responses to the call. This was explained on the ground that all operators who would strike had already quit work and here the strike order was given importance only as affording official sanction of the action already taken by the strikers without the previous approval of the national officers.

Both the Western Union and the Postal companies claimed not to have been affected by President Small's call and to be working more wires today than since the strike was declared. The Associated Press was not affected adversely. On the contrary several of the men who had left the service in the past returned to work after the strike order had been promulgated.

AGAINST THE FRENCH:

Moroccan Tribesmen Assembling for a Great Battle.

Paris, Aug. 17.—The correspondent of the Figaro at Casa Blanca sends in a dispatch saying fugitives report that messengers have been sent out to summon all the tribesmen to assemble and announcing that a great battle is to be fought against the French. This is to be the tribesmen's last effort, as they have only five or six cartridges per man left. It is not likely that they will recommence hostilities for a long time. General Druide is preparing to take steps which, without exceeding the provisions of the Algeiras conference, will have a stronger effect upon the tribesmen. The French consul is drawing up a list of the claims made by Europeans. The damage done will amount to \$200,000.

The correspondent at Casa Blanca of the Matin has had an interview with General Druide. He says the general considers his position impregnable and now that the Spanish troops have arrived he has 3,000 men at his disposal. It is impossible to undertake an expedition into the interior with less than 25,000 men and in any case such an expedition would have little effect. Continuing the correspondent says that some Jews who escaped from the Bayle camp have come into Casa Blanca in a state of extreme wretchedness. They report that horrible cruelties have been practiced upon the Jewish and other residents of Casa Blanca who were carried away after the town was pillaged.

The women prisoners have been maltreated by wealthy Moorish merchants and have been sold to the highest bidders and are being held for ransom.

Two Crushed by Rocks.

Grand Forks, N. D., Aug. 17.—While boarding a Great Northern work train here a Greek laborer, John Rothonis, was probably fatally injured and Tom Moore, a laborer from Chicago, dangerously hurt when a carload of rocks was thrown on them.

THE PRINT PAPER MERGER

International Paper Company Said to Be Behind It.

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 17.—The International Paper company is behind the print paper merger which is now being brought to a successful close. This much was given out by a manufacturer who stands high in the paper trade and who has mills that will enter the merger.

The informant goes further than that. He says that every print paper, manila fiber, sulphite and ground plant in Wisconsin, Minnesota and Michigan will be taken into the gigantic company. He says that options are now held on practically all of the mills. He added that within twelve months the International Paper company, which was incorporated under the laws of the state of New York in February, 1898, with an authorized capital stock of \$118,000,000, will control the print paper market of the United States. To do this the company will expend from \$30,000,000 to \$50,000,000 in buying up the plants in the Middle West.

To John G. Hanrahan of New York, who successfully engineered the merging of the twenty-two mills in the American Writing company and the thirty-two mills in the International Paper company, belongs the credit for the Western merger, which, according to the manufacturer giving out the information, is bound to take place.

The manufacturer puts himself on record as stating that the price of print paper will advance to 4 cents to the jobber and 6 cents to the small buyer within two years.

The announcement here that the International was behind the merger came as a great surprise to the people in general, especially to those employed in the mills. No idea existed that the big Eastern company was behind the deal. Various guesses had been made, some going as far as to think that it was the Rockefeller crowd that was backing the combine. The merger means that a number of Wisconsin cities will lose prominent citizens during the next year, as many of the retiring owners probably will leave this section. There also will be changes in management that will entail the displacement of some persons now prominent in the business.

CONDITION OF MRS. EDDY.

Will Be Inquired Into by Attorneys and Alienists.

Concord, N. H., Aug. 17.—Counsel for the "next friends" have agreed to the suggestion of the masters in chancery who are inquiring into the competency of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, the Christian Science leader, that they accompany two alienists to Pleasant View to make "tests" of her mental condition. Mr. Streeter, Mrs. Eddy's counsel, objected, but will consult with his client before the next session of the hearing on Tuesday and it is possible that he will then agree to the proposal of the masters.

Calvin A. Frye, Mrs. Eddy's secretary, was in court Friday morning.

Depositions were read by J. J. Kelly, attorney for the "next friends," in which Mrs. Eddy was alleged to have written that her husband, who died in Boston, was the victim of arsenical poisoning, mentally administered, and that she had held an autopsy to prove the fact. She also wrote, according to the letters read in court Friday afternoon to her son, George W. Glover, warning him to beware of "mental malpractitioners in Boston" and of "their evil work." A more recent letter to her son refused a request for aid and in it she told him to communicate with her thereafter through her secretary only. All these depositions were objected to by Mr. Streeter and ruled out by the masters.

ONE MAN DROWNED.

And the Wife of Vermont's Governor Barely Escapes Similar Fate.

Burlington, Vt., Aug. 17.—During an excursion of the Vermont association of Boston to South Hero Island, Lake Champlain, George Couture of Burlington was drowned and Mrs. Fletcher D. Proctor, wife of the governor of Vermont, narrowly escaped death.

Owing to absence of proper landing facilities, the steamer remained in the bay and landings were effected by lifeboats and launches. The launch containing Mrs. Proctor was overturned. Mrs. Proctor floated almost under the steamer and later drifted a distance of 200 feet. She was rescued and revived at the end of two hours' work by a physician.

Governor Proctor was aboard the steamer but was unaware of the accident until the rescue was made.

WORK OF A JOKER.

Check for Standard Oil's Fine Sent to Washington.

Washington, Aug. 17.—A fake check for the exact amount of the fine recently imposed upon the Standard Oil company by Judge Landis at Chicago was received at the treasury department Friday from a unknown sender. It was mailed at Toledo, O., was drawn on a bank and was signed by the Standard Oil company and "John D. Rockefeller." The receipt of the check caused much amusement among the treasury officials.

REPLY BY BONAPARTE

Attorney General Answers the Charges of Wall Street.

WILL ENFORCE THE LAWS

Department of Justice Will Not Attempt to Shield a Rich Corporation That Is Guilty of Violating Anti-Trust Statutes.

Baltimore, Aug. 17.—The News prints an interview given its Washington representative by Attorney General Charles J. Bonaparte, which constitutes a reply to the charge of Wall Street that the attorney general has been treating the great industrial and financial enterprises of the country with flippancy. The interview is really a statement carefully prepared by Mr. Bonaparte himself. In part he says:

"I cannot understand how any sensible person could be affected in dealing with matters of business by any remarks that have been attributed to me. I should say that business men ought to wish to have the laws strictly enforced. If this is done everybody knows what he can do and what he can't and everybody has a fair field and no favorites. The department of justice proposes to do precisely this and nothing more."

"It is required by law to enforce certain penal statutes which make certain forms of action crimes against the United States and also provide civil remedies for such illegal actions."

"The department, since I have been at its head, has never taken proceedings to enforce the laws without a very careful preliminary investigation to determine whether there was good reason to believe that the laws had been violated. Moreover, it has consistently and frequently overlooked merely formal violations of law or offenses attended with trivial consequences and has invariably refused to intervene in such cases when there was any reason to suppose that its intervention was desired to further private ends."

"If the ground of complaint against the department is that it proposes to punish prominent and wealthy men or corporations having vast amounts of capital and engaged in very extensive business when these are shown to have been wilful and persistent law breakers on a great scale and with grave injury to the purposes of the law, I must admit that these complaints are well founded. That is precisely what the department of justice is trying to do and while I remain its very unworthy head, will continue to do, so far as it can."

TO ANNUL FRANCHISES.

Suit Brought Against a Milwaukee Company.

Milwaukee, Aug. 17.—A suit to annul the franchises of 1900, which were granted to the Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company, was begun in the circuit court here Friday by Attorney General F. L. Gilbert on behalf of the state of Wisconsin.

In his affidavit upon which an order for an examination of the defendants under the discovery statute was issued, the attorney general charges that the franchises were obtained through corrupt methods and asks that the officers of the Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company who were active in obtaining the franchises be suspended and compelled to return large sums of money which he alleges they illegally spent in obtaining the grants. The court is further asked to annul the franchises so granted.

With the summons that were served came also an order from Court Commissioner Donnelly citing the defendants to appear before him on Aug. 26 and be examined under the discovery statute for the purpose of the attorney general getting the necessary information to begin his annulment proceedings.

The following is a list of the defendants: The Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company; the North American company; the City of Milwaukee; Former Mayor David S. Rose, John I. Beggs, Silas W. Burt, Charles F. Pfeister, George R. Sheldon, W. N. Cromwell, Charles W. Wetmore, Frank G. Bigelow and members of the common council who voted for the franchise.

BY COLLAPSE OF A FLOOR

Dozen Firemen Injured, One of Them Fatally.

Baltimore, Aug. 17.—It was thought that the work of firemen who had for hours fought flames in the big five-story warehouse at 307-309 West Baltimore street was about finished when suddenly the fifth floor collapsed, carrying the fourth floor with it, and a dozen or more firemen were caught in the wreckage. Of these all were taken out alive. One of them, George G. Dill, died of his injuries and two others are seriously hurt. The loss is estimated at \$90,000.

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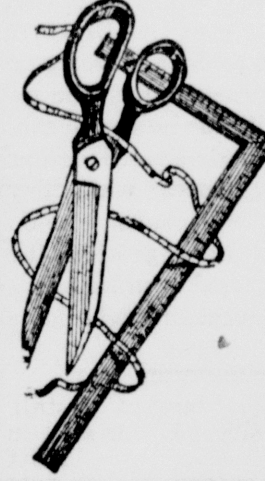
Janesville, Wis., Aug. 17.—Several thousand gallons of gasoline in the Standard Oil company's tank at Broadhead, Wis., exploded Friday afternoon, destroying the tank and causing a panic in the town. A passenger train was nearby when the explosion occurred. All the car windows were broken, but no one was injured.

Body Torn and Decayed.

Menominee, Mich., Aug. 17.—The dead body of Frank Hayward, who mysteriously disappeared six weeks ago, was found Friday by William Han, a woodsman, near one of the camps of Crawford & Sons near Cedar river. The body was decomposed and the animals of the forest have carried parts in all directions through the woods. The advanced state of decomposition makes it impossible to determine how Hayward came to his death.

Roosevelt Will Attend.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 17.—President Roosevelt will sail from here at 10 o'clock Monday morning on board the Mayflower for Princeton, Mass., where he is to take the leading part in the celebration of the landing of the Pilgrim fathers.



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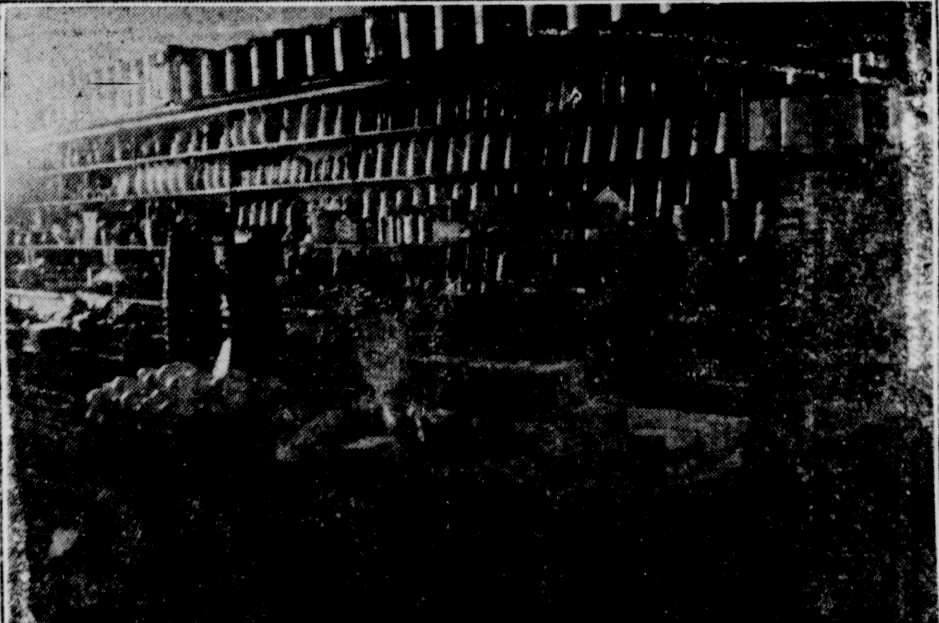
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SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 1907.

Two large creamery plants in St. Paul were fined last week for putting excessive moisture in the butter they turned out. They were evidently endeavoring to soak the public by "soaking" the butter.

The state has just paid \$23,135.49 for glandered stock killed by authority of the law for the six months ending August 1st. The reimbursement is made to three-quarters of the appraised value of the animals and there were 1006 horses and cows slaughtered.

The Sentinel at Pine River has devised a way in which to collect the back subscriptions on that paper and has turned the books over to the ladies of the Methodist church, they to receive 30 per cent of the amount collected. Bro. Silk will have a nice clean subscription list when they get through and the ladies expect to make money enough out of it to buy seats for their church. Good idea.

The roasting of mail order houses through the press does not seem to have the desired effect, and the flood of money streaming out of the country to the coffers of these city institutions continue. The mail order houses get their trade by advertising and the home merchants if they would adopt the same methods, not necessarily on a gigantic or expensive scale, would attract much of the trade that is diverted out of the ordinary channel. The people are mostly from Missouri—they want to be shown, and a little printer's ink judiciously used would work wonders. If there are any doubting Thomases who have never spent a dollar for advertising since they have been in business that desire to get set right let them ask any of the Brainerd merchants who set aside a stated sum to spend in this manner what the result is and they will soon be convinced. Advertising along judicious lines has made the mail order houses what they are today and they will continue to do business regardless of any kick the country press can make unless like means is used by merchants who have goods to sell.

D. M. Clark & Co., largest installment house in the city. Goods sold on easy terms.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Rent a 22 Rifle at King's. 23tf
Bicycles repaired at Hoffman's. 1tf
Geo. H. Brown came down from Cross Lake today.
M. J. Reilly left for Staples on a business trip today.
Mrs. John Cochran and daughter went to Perch lake today.
Card tables and folding chairs for rent at D. M. Clark & Co. 185tf
D. Archibald, of Bay Lake, came up from Deerwood today.
Pat Long left for the south on an early morning train today.
Miss Lena Arnold, came in from the west on No. 14 this morning.
Senator Alderman returned today from a business trip to Pequot.
See those weedless Bass Hooks at King's. Sure things. 23tf
Seth Phillips, of Sylvan, was transacting business in the city today.
Attorney A. T. Larson left today on a professional trip to Alexandria.
Mrs. S. R. Adair and daughter went to Motley today for a visit with friends.
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Orne will go out to the lakes for a brief stay tomorrow.
Miss Lillie R. Paine, who has been visiting friends at Glenwood, returned today.
Lawn mowers repaired at Hoffman's. 1tf
Miss Florence Bacon of this city is the guest of Mrs. A. Hagberg at Bemidji.
C. L. Burnett and wife left for Smiley and will spend Sunday at the Webb cottage.
The steel roofs are being rapidly placed on the new buildings at the N. P. shops.
King sells the tackle that gets the big ones. 23tf
We teach Touch Typewriting on the Standard Machines. Little Falls Business College.
Miss Onolee McCullough came down from Hubert today and will spend Sunday in the city.
J. P. Callahan, of Minneapolis, is in city visiting the family of W. S. Orne and other friends.
Mrs. Christian Bruhn and daughter left today for Verndale, where they will spend Sunday.
Order your awnings from D. M. Clark & Co. 235tf
A. M. Opsahl came in today from a business trip to Pine River and other towns up the M. & I.
But one marriage license has been issued since August 5th, that of John Winn to Jennie Wesley.
Call and see the new electric flatirons at D. M. Clark & Co.'s. 40tf
E. O. Webb will go to Smiley today, and spend Sunday with his family in their cottage at the lake.

Dave Ebinger has just completed burning a kiln of 400,000 brick at his yard in N. E. Brainerd.

If you expect to attend a business college get the Mankato Commercial College catalog. It is free.

Miss Clara Foltz, of Duluth, who has been visiting Mrs. E. L. Orth, will leave for her home tomorrow.

The private car of Gen. Manager Gemmell came down this morning attached to the regular way freight.

Miss Hannah Savage, of Humboldt, Iowa, arrived today for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rowley.

E. J. Donahue, a St. Paul architect who is spending the summer at Hubert was in the city between trains today.

Peter Cardle returned this morning from attending the funeral of his brother who died at St. Paul this week.

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Love lightens labor, but the best thing to make the biscuit light is Hunt's Perfect Baking Powder. Order a can today.

Mrs. Adelaide Wittig, of St. Paul, is in the city visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Theviot.

The Staples World says Lawrence McCulloch, of this city, has accepted a position in the grocery department of Miller's store in that city.

Sheriff Dredger, of Hennepin county, was at the Ransford today, enroute to his home from the Sheriff's convention held at Bemidji this week.

Now will you smile! Rough dry at three, four and five cents a pound. Flat goods ironed for the same price. Laurel Laundry. 63tf

Mrs. Eugene Merrill and daughter Odessa, who have been visiting at the home of Chief of Police McGivern, left for their home in St. Paul today.

Jack Boyle left for Jamestown, N. D., at noon today, where he has secured a position with the Northern Pacific in the boiler shops at that place.

Wm. Wainwright, has opened the R. R. Wise store lately occupied by A. F. Kenyon on front street, and is selling U. S. States army guns and ammunition.

Lamotte Hammett, of Esdon, was in the city today. Mr. Hammett states that corn, potatoes and all root crops are making good growth, but oats are poor.

If you want to rent a shot gun form King for chicken day you must rent it in advance. 55119

The crack base ball nine of Staples will soon play a game with Alexandria, the latter club making a condition that the game shall be played at some other town than Staples.

E. J. Larson, contracting agent for the Northwestern Telephone company came down from Walker, where he had been on business at the state sanatorium for consumptives today.

Bicycles cheap at E. J. Rhone's. 644t
J. W. Koop has an energetic hustler today in the person of their popular clerk "Andy" Bennett. Mrs. Bennett will return tomorrow from an extended visit with friends at Williston, N. D.

"Suffered day and night the torment of itching piles. Nothing helped me until I used Doan's Ointment. It cured me permanently."—Hon. John R. Garrett, Mayor, Girard, Ala. tts

Leslie Hill, a former resident of this city, now in the employ of the state, at the St. Peter asylum, is taking a vacation, spending part of the time here and later will visit his parents at Fargo, N. D.

Fred Holmbeck, formerly of this city but now of Duluth, was in Brainerd last night on his way home from a visit to Walker. The young man is now manager of the W. L. Douglas shoe store at Duluth.

HORSE WANTED—I want to buy a bay horse, free driver, weight about 1050, not over seven or eight years old. 64tf A. L. HOFFMAN.

The North Star base ball nine will go to Atkin tomorrow to play a game to decide the supremacy of one of the clubs. Two games have been played between the fast players of each city, of which each side has one victory scored.

The Blackhawks entertainment at Walker Hall last evening was fully up to the standard of excellence long ago established by this popular society. A good attendance with fine music by Geo. Growcock made the event an enjoyable one for all who participated.

The ladies home and foreign missionary society of the First Congregational church will give a supper at the church parlors Wednesday afternoon from 6 to 7:30 o'clock. A warm supper will be served for 15c and the menu will be published later. All are invited.

Mrs. Chas. A. Nichols, of St. Paul, who for the past ten days has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Merton Congdon in this city, left yesterday for Drummond, Wis., to visit with her parents. Miss Lucile, Chas. A. and Master Owen were with her. Mr. Nichols will accompany them on the trip from St. Paul.

Mrs. Alice Murray, of South Ninth street, gave a coffee party to a number of friends yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. John Doran, of St. Paul.

The time was enjoyably spent by the ladies in partaking of a collation and listening to vocal musical solos by Mrs. Dan Doran, Mrs. Steve Quinn and Mrs. Murray.

E. J. Rhone buys old bicycles and furniture of all kinds. 644t

Gov. and Mrs. C. A. Gilman, of St. Cloud, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Constance Gilman, to Arthur Ames, of Newark, N. J., the wedding to occur Oct. 5th, at 6 o'clock at St. John's church. Miss Gilman is well known in this city, having visited here on several occasions and her Brainerd friends will extend congratulations.

J. P. Saunders, game warden for this section of Minnesota, has just returned from an extended trip covering probably 200 miles to the west, south and north of Brainerd and he gives it as his opinion that the prairie chicken crop will be an exceedingly small one in his vicinity, as during his travels few if any birds were seen and the settlers state that the birds are scarce where on previous occasions they have been plentiful. Many birds were found dead this spring and in one instance a farmer in the Stony Brook settlement says that when the snow went off 23 prairie chickens were found in one place along an old fence where they had huddled together to get out of the storm and had been snowed in, being unable to extricate themselves after the storm had abated.

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CASE IS IN PREPARATION.

Government to Proceed Against the Harvester Trust.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Suit is to be instituted by the government against the International Harvester company for alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. The papers in the proposed action are being drawn at the department of justice and the indications are that the company will be haled into court in the immediate future. It is likely the proceedings will be begun in Chicago.

A year or more ago complaints of the operations of the International Harvester company reached the department of justice and agents of the department and of the bureau of corporations have accumulated a mass of information on the subject. The evidence that the company has violated the anti-trust law is asserted to be conclusive.

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TESTIMONIAL

Bismarck, N. D., March 23, 1907.

To whom it may concern: Prof. Mather has been in Bismarck for some months past teaching dancing to both children and adults, besides giving some pleasing and unique parties. As an instructor Mr. Mather has no equal in the northwest and while here he has met with remarkable success and earned the good will and appreciation of those attending his classes. We cheerfully recommend him as a teacher and always a perfect gentleman. Sincerely,

BISMARCK TRIBUNE, by A. E. Nugent.

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We have just selected a lot of children's shoes, sizes 9 to 2—worth \$1 to \$1.50. All go at one price—69c a pair—while they last.

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Who think that Fly Paper is an absolute

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If you are, don't you also know that FLY PAPER does not keep away all the flies. Well you are just the one we have provided a remedy for. We assure you that with Wheller's Adjustable Screens on your house, fly paper is useless. We want you to let us show you their points of superiority over common screens.

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As now made, Ayer's Sarsaparilla does not contain the least particle of alcohol in any form whatever. You get all the tonic and alterative effects, without stimulation. When a stimulant is needed, your doctor will know it, and will tell you of it. Consult him freely about our remedies. We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our preparations. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.



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The best flour that's made. Once used always used

One Baking a week is enough with Pillsbury's Best

It will keep longer than bread made of other brands of flour

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We urge comparison of goods and prices. Even better bargains than last year. New goods every few days.

D. A. PETERSON,

Phone Call 82

214 7th St. So.

OLD INDUSTRY
IS RENEWED
The Old Schwartz Brick Yard Near
the Dam is Again in
Operation
AFTER AN INTERVAL OF 25 YEARS
As of Old the Brick is of Super-
ior Quality—\$7000 Already
Invested

It will be news to many people of this city to learn that Brainerd has a brick yard in active operation near the old Schwartz yard in the northern part of town.

While the Brainerd Commercial Club of this city has been laboring for the past six months in considering propositions from outside parties who wish to establish industries of various kinds in this city, a company has been formed by Brainerd men who have quietly proceeded to work and without a request for a bonus, or aid of any kind from the citizens of the city, have established a business that is furnishing work to a considerable number of men and is turning out a product that at one time in years gone by bore a reputation for superior excellence. The Brainerd Brick Company instituted by Albert Angel and Swan Peterson, both citizens of this city, have established and are working a brickyard in Northeast Brainerd, on which an investment of \$7,000 has been made, \$3,000 of which has been expended by them since May 1st. The company is greatly in need of a side track, which could be laid on the very level land immediately above the yard at a nominal expense and it might be well for the Commercial Club of this city to use their efforts in assisting the company to secure one.

The drying yard of the company is at the foot of the hill and extends to the bank of the river with an elevation above the water of about six feet. At a little greater elevation, is the "Martin" brick machine, which is capable of turning out 20,000 perfectly moulded brick per day when run to its fullest capacity. Most of the clay, of which an unlimited quantity is in sight, is moist enough for grinding and moulding, owing to the percolation through the clay bed of numerous small veins of water, but should the clay become too dry at any time water can be turned into the machine from a tank built in the bank above. A. G. Anderson is manager of the works and is a brickmaker of ability. He is now burning a kiln of about 175,000, which will be ready to market next week.

The company intend to turn out the same high grade of brick which have stood the test of years in the walls of the first-built portion of the Northern Pacific shops, the First National Bank building and oldest built part of the Brainerd high school. These buildings are a monument to the excellence of brick manufactured here and the industry established by the company should receive the support of building contractors of the city. The product of the Brainerd brickyard will be an advertisement for the city as one sixth of the bricks will be stamped "Brainerd Brick Company," the company evidently believing that their product will be of such quality that the widest publicity of the name of the place where they are made is warranted.

THE DISPATCH tenders its congratulations to Messrs. Peterson & Angel with the wish that the fullest measure of success may be theirs.

Cedar Shingles For Sale

Three grades of cedar shingles at whole or retail. If you are going to build call and inspect our stock.

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GEO. A. MCKINLEY.

LIGHTNING FIRES PROPERTY
Thursday Night's Storm Caused Serious Loss to two Crow Wing County Farmers
During the electrical storm of Thursday evening lightning struck the large barn of W. L. Borden, on the Cross lake road near Fred Stropp's place, setting it on fire and burning it to the ground together with 60 tons of hay. It is not known whether the property was insured.

On the same evening lightning struck a stack of hay belonging to Jacob Winter in the south part of the county and burned it to the ground. There was fifteen tons in the stack.

The residence of A. Laughton, in the town of Daggett Brook, was burned on Thursday together with most of the contents. Mr. Laughton carried an insurance policy with the Farmers' Mutual Insurance Co., of Klondike.

The Limit of Life

The most eminent medical scientists are unanimous in the conclusion that the generally accepted limitation of human life is many years below the attainment possible with the advanced knowledge of which the race is now possessed. The critical period, that determines its duration, seems to be between 50 and 60; the proper care of the body during this decade cannot be too strongly urged; carelessness then being fatal to longevity. Nature's best helper after 50 is Electric Bitters, the scientific tonic medicine that revitalizes every other organ of the body. Guaranteed by H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists. 50c.

UNIQUE COMPLAINT FILED.

The Chicago and Alton Accused of Confiscating Other Roads.

Washington, Aug. 17.—A unique complaint was filed with the interstate commerce commission Friday in which the Chicago and Alton Railroad company is charged with having practically confiscated three other roads which now form a part of the Chicago and Alton system.

The complainant is John B. Mannin of New York city, a minority stockholder in the Louisiana and Missouri River railroad, and the defendants are the Chicago and Alton and the Louisiana and Missouri River roads.

Mannin alleges that he holds 123 shares of the common and 51 shares of the preferred stock of the Louisiana and Missouri River road and that with the exception of 313 shares of the common and 167 shares of the preferred stock, the Chicago and Alton owns the entire capital stock of the road, which amounts to \$1,010,000 of preferred and \$2,312,000 of common stock. He asserts that after the Chicago and Alton had acquired this stock, it "entered into pretended lease with itself," by which it "pretended to lease to itself the 101 miles of railroad and equipment owned by the Louisiana and Missouri River Railroad company at a price and upon terms which practically confiscated and destroyed the property rights and values of your petitioner."

It is alleged that the only compensation paid for this property by the Chicago and Alton is converting the earnings and surplus of the smaller road "to exaggerate and show up the earnings of the Chicago and Alton Railroad company," that the complainant has been denied access to the books of the road in order that he might protect his interests. He therefore asks the commission to obtain an accounting of the Louisiana and Missouri River road since 1871 and to afford him such relief as may be deemed just and equitable.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

FORTY YEARS
IN THE BUILDING
Gleanings From the Early Records
of Crow Wing County
FROM PEN OF AUDITOR SMART
The County Officials in Early Days Were Foxy Boys Judging From the Records
(Continued from Yesterday)

The first of a long line of printing bills was allowed at this time, when \$150 was granted for printing books, etc., to Geo. W. Benedict, the veteran editor of the "Sault Rapids Sentinel."

It was not until two years later that a paper was launched within the county when M. C. Russell got out his first issue of the Brainerd Tribune, February 16, 1872. This was made the official organ of the county, and it is written: "M. C. Russell, the editor, having donated one copy to the board, on motion it was ordered that a vote of thanks be tendered the said M. C. Russell therefor, and the auditor was directed to preserve the same on file for future reference." It is a fact worth noting that the financial statement of 1870 was published by Mr. Benedict for \$5.50 and the delinquent tax list for \$16.95. Crow Wing county as an agricultural proposition was slow in developing, for as late as 1877 at the forfeited tax sale in September of that year, forty after forty was sold on tax title to actual purchasers for ten cents per forty. Much of this was right on the crest of the Cuyuna range, too. Either the owners had but little money or else they lacked faith in the future value of the lands in question.

Returning to 1870, at the May meeting a board of road surveyors was appointed viz: Thos. Cathcart, Ila Wace Beane and Joseph Wakefield. The first record of a road also dates from this meeting, although the stage had been wearing deep ruts in the sandy surface of the prairie for a generation. This is the road according to their cord: "Commencing at the south end of the county on the road used as a stage road, till it reaches Main street in Crow Wing, and running straight by Beaulieu's fence and on past J. G. Morrison's dwelling house and following that street on till it reaches the ferry (or the cross street near the ferry.)" Alas! Beaulieu's fence has crumbled to earth, and Morrison's house has passed away, even the town itself has been effaced from the map and a plowed field occupies the place. The destruction of the old church by fire a few years since removed the last trace of the once busy thoroughfare.

On October 27th a petition was presented by twenty-five legal voters of township 45, range 28, 29, 30 and 31, praying to be set off and organized as the town of Brainerd. This was granted and F. S. Eastman, C. F. Hobert and John McDonald appointed supervisors.

The following spring a petition was granted for a school district composed of township 45, range 31, to be known as district No. 2, and a road was also laid out from Crow Wing to Brainerd, and the first bridge across the Noka Sebie river was built by Desire Bertrand for \$318.

At the beginning of 1871 no less than fifteen liquor licenses were granted by the board, the number being equally divided between Crow Wing village and the fast growing railroad station farther up the river. The county seat was also removed about this time.

It seems that the numerous licenses granted had been bearing fruit for a petition was presented at this time signed by sixty-nine voters of the county for a jail, and L. P. White, agent for the Lake Superior and Puget Sound Land company made proposals to build the same and take county bonds in payment. On motion, Commissioner M. W. Falconer was appointed a committee to investigate the matter of "building a calaboose, to see different parties upon the subject and get their figures, and report at next meeting." As an adjunct to this line of work a county attorney was elected and George W. Holland was among the first to occupy the office. In February the board met at Brainerd and leased lot 8, block 65, for ten years and wrote orders to L. P. White for \$986.

The beginning of our (present) voluminous registry of real estate titles took place when Rev. W. A. Cutler, of Morrison county, was appointed to transcribe all records and filings. N. S. Richardson had been filing deeds at Little Falls since 1855, and all instruments covering land in this county, if recorded at all, were to be found there. Earlier than this all titles were registered in Benton county. Real estate necessitated a man to measure land, and so the county surveyor's office came into commission, and the man was on hand in the person of R. K. Whitley, who assumed the duties of the office May 8th, 1873.

Many and diverse tales might be related concerning the subsequent evolu-

tion and development of our community, but having thus seen the young settlements emerge from their feeble beginnings to the dignities of a calaboose and a county attorney, and observed the seat of government safely installed at the metropolis, let us leave the portrayal of latter and recent exploits to the more facile pen of the future historian.

JOHN FRANKLIN SMART.

BRUNS the optometrist who fits glasses correctly, cures headache and other nervous troubles by these methods, will be at Hotel Ransford Aug. 27 and 28. Eyes examined free.

AMERICANS OUT OF IT.

Have No Chance to Win Emperor William's Cup.

Kiel, Aug. 17.—The Wannsee won Friday's race of the Sonderklasse yachts for Emperor William's cup with extraordinary ease. She finished more than 8 minutes ahead of the Wittelsbach and 9 minutes and 13 seconds in front of the Spokane I., the nearest American competitor, in one of the fastest races of the series.

As the German yachts have now won four straight, the American boats under the agreement are excluded from further competition for the emperor's cup.

Our France in its distracted gallop of modern ideas and manners is assuredly about to lose one of its most precious and characteristic charms, its refined and intelligent politeness, its noble desire to please, which should be valued in spite of all the sarcasms of the foreigner.—Paris Grande Revue.

Where to Worship

Parties interested will please bear in mind that notices must be in THE DISPATCH office by 5:30 p. m. Friday evening to insure insertion Saturday. This is necessary to permit copy to be ready for printer Saturday morning.

St. Francis' Catholic church: Service will be held at 8:30 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 2 o'clock p. m., vespers and benediction 8 o'clock p. m. mass on week days 7:30 a. m., except on Tuesdays and Saturdays, when mass is at St. Joseph's hospital. Rev. J. J. O'Mahoney, pastor.

Swedish Lutheran church: Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at 12 a. m. Evening services 7:45 p. m. J. E. Oslund, pastor.

Christian Scientists: Services every Sunday at 10:45 a. m., in the Cale hall, 620 1/2 Front street. No evening services. All are welcome. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Swedish Mission church, Cor. Maple and Ninth street south: Morning service at 10:45 a. m.; evening service at 7:45 p. m., Sunday school noon. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 8 p. m.

Rev. C. E. Nygren, of Staples, will preach morning and evening Sunday August 18th.

Norwegian Lutheran church, 7th St. south, between Laurel and Maple streets: Services at 10:30 in the morning and at 7:30 in the evening. Sunday school at 12 m. Sunday school in both the Norwegian and English languages.

First Baptist church: Morning service at 10:30, Sunday school at 12:00 m. Junior society at 3 p. m. Young Peoples' society at 7:00 p. m. Evening service at 8:00. Everyone invited to every service. Strangers always made welcome.

First Congregational church, corner Juniper and Fifth streets: Public worship at 10:30 a. m., and 8:00 p. m. Sunday school 12. Young Peoples' Society at 7:00 p. m. Prayer meeting and bible study Thursday, 8:00 p. m.

People's Congregational church: Preaching 10:30 a. m., Sunday school 12 o'clock, noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7:00 p. m. Evening service at 8:00 p. m. Tuesdays at 8 p. m., the normal class meets with the pastor. Thursday evening—Junior Endeavor 4:30 o'clock, Prayer meeting 8:00 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited. Rev. J. E. Berry, pastor.

Evangelical church: Sunday school at 10 a. m., morning service at 11 a. m., Y. P. A. at 6:45 p. m. Evening service 8:00. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Strangers especially welcome. H. A. Seder, pastor.

First Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Juniper and Sixth streets. Morning service at 10:30, Sunday school at 12. Epworth League 7:00 p. m. Evening service at 8:00 o'clock. Rev. Charles Fox Davis, pastor.

Swedish M. E. church: Kindred St. N. E. Services every Sunday. Sunday school at noon every Sunday. Rev. A. Nelson, pastor.

Swedish Baptist church: Morning service at 10:30, Sunday school at noon. Young Peoples' Society meeting 7:00, evening service 7:45. Rev. P. G. Nelson, pastor.

Presbyterian church: Morning services at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:50, Junior at 3 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 7:00. Evening service at 8:00 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8:00. Rev. J. F. McLeod, pastor.

The pulpit will be occupied by Rev. J. F. McLeod, pastor, instead of J. C. Manville, as previously announced.

Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church, near corner 10th and E. Oak streets: Morning services at 10:30. Sunday school at 9:30. Rev. C. Haugstad, pastor.

St. Paul's Episcopal church: Services for Sunday. Holy Communion and sermon at 10:30 A. M., Sunday school at noon. Evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 P. M.

COME AND SEE!

Our Closing Out Sale

Will be the Greatest Cut Price Sale ever held in Brainerd or the northern part of the state. All former prices—all cost entirely lost sight of.

We Must Sell And Do It Quick

Because our business interests on the Pacific Coast demand our immediate and personal attention. The stock is being readjusted and still more sweeping reductions will be made. Stock up for all future wants. Now is the time to do it. Come while the Bargain Sparks fly thick and fast.

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All kinds of Shaker and Dump Grates furnished on short notice for parties intending to burn coal next winter. Water Works put in an Sewer Connections made.

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Wright Wins Tennis Match.
New York, Aug. 17.—Boals C. Wright of Boston won the cup for singles in the lawn tennis tournament on the courts of the Meadow club at Southampton, L. I.

Quick relief for Asthma Sufferers
Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure. H. P. Dunn & Co. mwfdw

The man's indignation was terrible. "Those boys," he said, "tied a kettle to a cat's tail and chased it four miles. I am going to have them all arrested." "Was it your cat?" we inquired gently. "No," said he, "it was my kettle."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

"Regular as the Sun"
is an expression as old as the race. No doubt the rising and setting of the sun is the most regular performance in the universe, unless it is the action of the liver and bowels when regulated with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed by H. P. Dunn & Co., druggist, 25c. ttdsw

A healthy man is a king in his own right; an unhealthy man is an unhappy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds up sound health—keeps you well. tts

Anarchists Jeer at a Cardinal.
Rome, Aug. 17.—Cardinal Merry del Val, the papal secretary of state, was jeered and jeered by a crowd of anarchists while he was driving in the village of Marino, a suburb of Rome. The incident was an evidence of the present anti-clerical feeling in Italy. The police drove off the demonstrators after an encounter in which one policeman was wounded.

"Everybody Should Know"
says C. G. Hays, a prominent business man, of Bluff, Mo., that Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the quickest and surest healing salve ever applied to a sore, burn or wound, or to a case of piles. I've used it and know what I'm talking about." Guaranteed by H. P. Dunn & Co. druggist, 25c. ttdsw

Try an ad in The Dispatch, they always bring results.

Shot Restores Sanity.
Blue Earth, Minn., Aug. 17.—Dr. Schoon of Winnebago shot himself Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock and died three hours later. He had been in the northern part of Minnesota practicing medicine, and while there went insane. His wife, not knowing this, went to make him a visit and returned to Winnebago with him. After he had shot himself he became rational again.

Up-to-Date Hardware Store News

Save Fuel and Time
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SEPTEMBER
2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7
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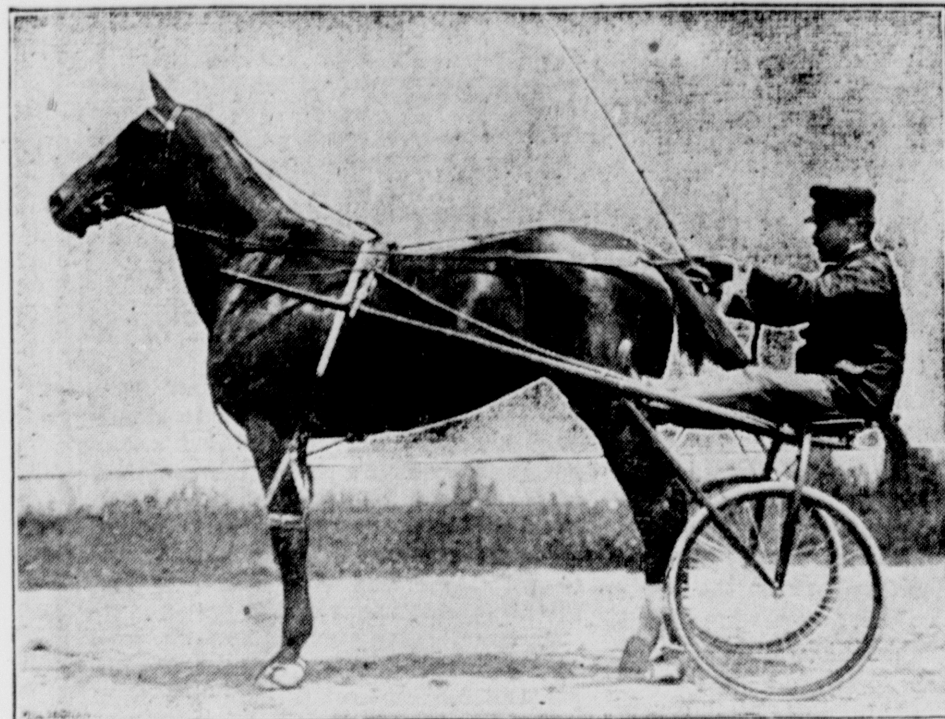
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"It says here," remarked a lady who was perusing a popular journal to her husband, "that widows make the best wives."
"Probably so," was the reply, "but you can hardly expect me to die just for the sake of making a good-wife of you!"—Kansas City Independent.

Endorsed By the County

"The most popular remedy in Otsego County, and the best friend of my family," writes Wm. M. Dietz, editor and publisher of the Otsego Journal, Gilbertsville, N. Y., "is Dr. King's New Discovery. It has proved to be an infallible cure for coughs and colds, making short work of the worst of them. We always keep a bottle in the house. I believe it to be the most valuable prescription known for Lung and Throat diseases." Guaranteed to never disappoint the taker, by H. P. Dunn & Co's Drug Store. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The engagement is announced of Miss Nettie Nichols of New York to Charles Emory Smith of Philadelphia.

Peter B. Smith, president of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, died suddenly of heart trouble Friday afternoon in New York city.

Josiah P. Harrison, eighty years old, 252 Fifteenth avenue south, Minneapolis, was accidentally asphyxiated by gas in his home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace W. Avery and Horace W. Avery, Jr., of Detroit, Mich., arrived in St. Paul Friday in the launch Luella. They left Detroit on July 22 a year ago and covered 5,100 miles before landing in St. Paul.

BASEBALL SCORES.

National League.

At Boston, 3; St. Louis, 4.
At Brooklyn, 4; Pittsburg, 7.
At Chicago, 1; Philadelphia, 0.
At Cincinnati, 4; New York, 4—nine innings; called at dark.

American League.

At St. Louis, 5; Boston, 0.
At Detroit, 2; New York, 4.
At Chicago, 3; Washington, 2.
At Cleveland, 8; Philadelphia, 7.
Second game—Cleveland, 2; Philadelphia, 7.

American Association.

At St. Paul, 6; Columbus, 7.
At Milwaukee, 1; Louisville, 2.
At Kansas City, 3; Indianapolis, 1.
At Minneapolis, 2; Toledo, 1—twelve innings.

Verdict for Dr. Pierce

AGAINST THE

Ladies' Home Journal.

Sending truth after a lie. It is an old maxim that "a lie will travel seven leagues while truth is getting its boots on," and no doubt hundreds of thousands of good people read the unwarranted and malicious attack upon Dr. R. V. Pierce and his "Favorite Prescription" published in the May (1904) number of the Ladies' Home Journal, with its great black display headings, who never saw the humble, groveling retraction, with its inconspicuous heading, published two months later. It was boldly charged in the slanderous and libelous article that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, for the cure of woman's weaknesses and ailments, contained alcohol and other harmful ingredients. Dr. Pierce promptly brought suit against the publishers of the Ladies' Home Journal, for \$200,000.00 damages.

Dr. Pierce alleged that Mr. Bok, the editor, maliciously published the article containing such false and defamatory matter with the intent of injuring his business; furthermore, that no alcohol, or other poisonous, or habit-forming, drugs are, or ever were, contained in his "Favorite Prescription"; that said medicine is made from native medicinal roots and contains no harmful ingredients whatever; and that Mr. Bok's malicious statement were wholly and absolutely false.

In the retraction printed by said Journal they were forced to acknowledge that they had obtained analyses of "Favorite Prescription" from eminent chemists, all of whom certified that it did not contain alcohol or any of the alleged harmful drugs. These facts were also proven in the trial of the action in the Supreme Court. But the business of Dr. Pierce was greatly injured by the publication of the libelous article with its great display headings, while hundreds of thousands who read the wickedly groveling article never saw the humble groveling retraction, set in small type and made as inconspicuous as possible. The matter was, however, brought before a jury in the Supreme Court of New York State which promptly rendered a verdict in the Doctor's favor. Thus his traducers came to grief and their base slanders were refuted.

NAMES EIGHTEEN MEN

Pennsylvania's Capitol Commission Reports.

GREAT GRAFT IS ALLEGED

Contractors and Other Persons Said to Have Been Involved in Irregular Transactions—Criminal and Civil Suits Recommended.

Harrisburg, Pa., Aug. 17.—Criminal and civil proceedings against all persons concerned in the fraudulent transactions in connection with the construction and furnishing of Pennsylvania's \$13,000,000 capitol is recommended in the final report of the capitol investigation commission made to Governor Stuart Friday. Eighteen persons are named in the report as being involved in one way or another in irregular transactions and the attorney general is urged to act at once. The persons against whom other criminal or civil suits are recommended are:

John H. Sanderson of Philadelphia, contractor for furnishing; John M. Huston, architect, and Stanford Lewis, his assistant; J. M. Shumaker of Johnstown, Pa., former superintendent of the board of public grounds and buildings; W. H. Snyder and E. B. Hardenberg, former auditors general; W. L. Mathues and Frank G. Harris, former state treasurers; Congressman P. Burd Cassell, president of the Pennsylvania Construction company, which supplied the metallic casings and furniture; George F. Payne, who built the capitol, and his partner, Charles G. Wetter; Charles P. Kinsman, Wallis Boileau, John G. Neuderer and George K. Storm, who organized the Pennsylvania Bronze company, which supplied the loaded lightning fixtures to Sanderson; Frank Irvine, an auditor in the auditor general's office; George C. Town, bookkeeper under Shumaker, and the International Manufacturing and Supply company, which bid against Sanderson for the capitol furnishing contract.

Former Governors Not Involved.

The name of Former Governor Pennypacker, who by virtue of his office was a member of the board of public grounds and buildings, which let the furnishing contracts, and those of Former Governor Stone and his associates, who made up the commission that constructed the capitol, are not mentioned in the list of those against whom action is urged.

Senator A. G. Dewalt and Representative R. Scott Ammerman, the Democratic member of the commission, presented a brief supplemental report in which they specifically name most of those already mentioned as criminally and civilly liable for the frauds against the state. They are in entire accord with the report of the Republican members and presented their supplemental report as a further expression of their individual views.

The commission says that it was able to ascertain by testimony that goods costing \$1,574,399 were sold to the state by Sanderson and the Pennsylvania Construction company for \$6,434,748, a profit of \$4,860,349.

The report was presented to the governor by Chairman Fisher in the presence of the commission. After receiving it Governor Stuart issued a statement in which he said:

"I will transmit the report to the attorney general for his action and I can assure the people of Pennsylvania that there will be a vigorous prosecution of every person whom the evidence may show to have been guilty of any criminal offense in connection with the construction and furnishing of the state capitol.

"Wherever the evidence submitted shows that if any money wrongfully or fraudulently has been taken from the state treasury, civil suits will be commenced to compel restitution."

PRACTICES CONDEMNED.

Wisconsin Commission Scores Marathon County Railroad Company.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 17.—That the practices of the Marathon County Railroad company, owned by Lieutenant Governor W. D. Connor, are "unlawful, inequitable and socially and economically parasitic," is the conclusion of a decision handed down by the railroad commission on a complaint lodged against the road by Nicholas Streveler. The commission found that in some cases passengers were carried free over this road and in many cases less than carload lots of lumber did not have to pay freight. It was also disclosed that the company did not publish a tariff schedule as is required by law.

At the hearing a month ago Mr. Connor through his attorney set up the defense that his road was not a common carrier and hence not subject to regulations. In handing down its decision the rate commission declared the road to be a common carrier. The commission ordered that the rates on lumber, which were declared extortionate, be reduced from \$5 to \$7 a car respectively to \$3.50 and \$4.50 a car.

Western Players Win.

New York, Aug. 17.—F. B. Alexander and H. H. Hackett, representing the West, won the first match for the lawn tennis doubles championship of the United States on the grounds of the Crescent Athletic club, Brooklyn, defeating William J. Clothier and William A. Larned, the Eastern champions, easily, 6-3, 6-0, 6-4.

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